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PATENT  
Customer No. 22,852  
Attorney Docket No. 04329.1952-01

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: )  
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Yoshitaka TSUNASHIMA et al. ) Group Art Unit: 2814  
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Application No.: 09/688,989 ✓ ) Examiner: Shrinivas H. Rao  
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Filed: October 17, 2000 )  
)  
For: SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE AND ) Confirmation No.: 2408  
METHOD OF MANUFACTURING )  
THE SAME )

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

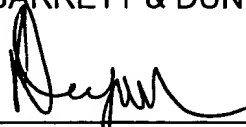
Applicants hereby petition for a two month extension of time to reply to the Office  
Action of August 13, 2004. A fee of \$450.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge  
any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dated: January 13, 2005

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